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Re:

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Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support - ICLS

Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that Consolidated Telephone Company, Study Area 371532, will use its Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support - ICLS only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above.

Dated this 20th day of May 2003.

Wendy Thompson Fast

President

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